

House Resolution No. 897

Whereas, it is with great appreciation and genuine respect that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize the meritorious accomplishments of one of St. Ann's most dedicated public servants; and

Whereas, Rhoda A. Womack will officially retire from her position as City Clerk/Assistant to the Mayor for the City of St. Ann, Missouri, in April 2003, following a twenty-seven-year record of exceptional service to the City of St. Ann; and

Whereas, Rhoda Womack commenced her career with city administration as a bookkeeper in April 1975, rose to the position of City Treasurer in November of 1983, and went on to be appointed City Clerk/Assistant to the Mayor by the Board of Aldermen in 1984; and

Whereas, as City Clerk/Assistant to the Mayor, Rhoda Womack has been the general superintendent of the city, assuming the Mayor's responsibilities in his absence; and

Whereas, Rhoda Womack, who is known for her outstanding communication skills and vast knowledge of municipal law, city operations, and ordinances, has made all who have entered St. Ann City Hall feel welcomed and assured; and

Whereas, Rhoda Womack enjoyed the honor and privilege of being elected President of the Missouri City Clerks and Finance Officers Association's Eastern Division in 1998; and

Whereas, Rhoda Womack earned the title of Certified Municipal Clerk as prescribed by the International Institute of Municipal Clerks and completed a four-year career development program at the University of Missouri-Columbia designed for City Clerks and Finance Officers; and

Whereas, Rhoda Womack, a valuable resident of St. Ann, will be the Guest of Honor at a special retirement reception to be held on April 18, 2003:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our congratulations and best wishes to Rhoda Womack upon her retirement as City Clerk/Assistant to the Mayor for the City of St. Ann, and in wishing her ample opportunity to enjoy the better things life has to offer; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Rhoda A. Womack.

Offered by _____
Representative Michael G. Corcoran
District No. 77

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 897, adopted March 18, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker